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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR EVALUATING RESTITUTION  
CHARACTERISTICS OF A GOLF CLUB HEAD**

Inventors: **1) Hiroshi SAEGUSA and 2) Kazunori ONO**

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 46 pages, including 4 independent claims and 18 claims total.
2. Drawings - 8 sheets of drawings containing 14 figures.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to **THE YOKOHAMA RUBBER CO., LTD.**
5. Certified copies of Japanese Patent Application Nos. 2003-107511, filed on April 11, 2003, and 2003-289095, filed on August 7, 2003.
6. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

Basic Application Filing Fee					\$770	\$ \$770.00
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Total Claims	18	-	20	0	x \$18	
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7. A check for \$810.00 is enclosed. The fee includes:

\$770.00 filing fee;

\$86.00 extra claims fees; and

\$40.00 Assignment recordation fee.

Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Patent Application Nos. 2003-107511, filed on April 11, 2003, and 2003-289095, file on August 7, 2003.

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Please accord this application an application number and filing date and record and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or §1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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